

# THE SPOUTSPRING TIMES.

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Every Day  
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the Week

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## Porto Rico.

Porto Rico ranks fourth in the Greater Antilles, having first place, however, in density of population and general prosperity. In 1855 cholera carried off 30,000 of the inhabitants. Still, it's healthy. The city of San Juan, of perhaps 40,000 population is situated on an island, connected with the mainland by a bridge. Its harbor is one of three only which are safe at all times from a ground swell, which often breaks against the island cliffs with great violence. —Exchange.

## New Lock On Ky. River.

Sealed proposals for the construction of lock no. 8, Kentucky river have been opened. The lowest bid was that of Thomas Sheridan, of W. Va., who bid \$188,000. The lock will be constructed twenty-two miles above Hickman, fourteen miles below Valley View. The construction of the new lock is to make slack water for Kentucky river pack-ets to seventy miles above Hickman, opening up to river

freighting business a large whiskey, timber, coal and iron field.

Old newspapers for sale at this office at 20 cents per bun.

## RELIABILITY

Is a quality some newspapers have lost sight of in these days of "Yellow Journalism." They care little for the truth and a great deal for temporary sensation. It is not so with the Dispatch. The success of the Dispatch rests upon its reliability. It prints the news—all the news—and tells the truth about it.

## ITS WAR NEWS SERVICE.

can not be excelled. It is gathered by forty-two war correspondents and eight fast dispatch boats at the seat of war, and a salaried correspondent in every important city in the world. The most critical period of the war will be during peace negotiations. Get the paper that tells the truth. Our Motto: If you see it in the Dispatch it's so, and if it's so it is always in the Dispatch. The Dispatch news service is now furnished by the New York Sun, the Chicago Inter-Ocean, The Northern Press Association, The Leslie Syndicate and a staff of correspondents in Kentucky, Tennessee and Indiana second to none on a Southern news-club with the Weekly Louisville Dispatch; both papers one year for the low sum of 25 cents. All orders at the above rates must be sent to this office.

## Silver Service For Battleship Kentucky.

We received last week (but too late for our last issue) the following circular from Col. Harry Weissinger, of Louisville: Louisville, Ky., July 27, 1898.

Dear Sir:

The great battleship Kentucky, named in honor of the State, was, in the presence of the Governor and many representative citizens from all parts of the State of Kentucky, launched March 25, 1898, and will be put in commission sometime between January 1 and March 1, 1899.

The presence of Kentuckians at the launching was merely a recognition of the honor done the State by the Government, and it was universally conceded that something more substantial must be done by the people of Kentucky, and that when the great ship shall have been completed, a handsome silver service emblazoned with the arms of the State should be presented.

Such has been the custom of all the States which have been so honored by the Government. Kentucky, I know, will not be behind, but will rather excel them in the splendor and universality of the offering.

The gift will not cost less than ten thousand dollars. It is proposed to secure this amount by popular subscription. Every town in the State of Kentucky should be represented, and, with the view of making the subscription as general as possible, I have addressed this letter to representative citizens in every part of the State. No one need fear that his subscription will be too large, no none so small that it will be overlooked. We want both dollars and dimes, for it is to be the people's gift.

With the gift to the ship will go a list of the contributors, and the place of residence (but not the amount), so in making your contribution please write your name and address distinctly.

It is also proposed to publish a souvenir book which will contain a cut of the battleship "Kentucky," with description; cut and description of the silver service; an account of the launching and the presentation; also names of subscribers. The book will also contain the latest revised list of the American Navy and other interesting data. The publication of this book depends largely on the amount of the subscription; it will be sent free to those who contribute \$20 or more.

As chairman of the Finance Committee, I ask your personal

co-operation in this work; that you will at once take this matter up with your neighbors to the end that the call may be liberally and promptly met.

The splendid achievements of the American Navy in the present war thrill every American heart with pride whenever it is mentioned, and I am persuaded that on this occasion there will be no backwardness on the part of our people, but a patriotic rivalry as to who will give first and most.

Yours respectfully,

Harry Weissinger.

Chairman Finance Com.

N. B.—Address all letters containing subscriptions to Jas. F. Buckner, Secretary Board of Trade, who will acknowledge receipt of same.

After closing the contract of construction of The Dover. Kentucky and South Atlantic Railway, Col. Boone left Tuesday for Cynthiana to close the contract with the line from Ghent to Cynthiana and from Cynthiana to the Kentucky State line at Jellico Narrows. Everything is being put in readiness to handle the work as soon as the expert's reports is made and the financial contract signed. Colonel Boone thinks everything can be put in readiness to shovel dirt within four months.—Dover News.

The L. & E. Ry will run an excursion to Lexington tomorrow. This will be the last opportunity to see the soldiers. Fare 75 cts.

The following is what an old maid can say with her pen: "Man is an animal which chews tobacco and walks on a forked end. Most men are born; I never heard of but one who wasn't and he was made of mud, just for a sample. Man's life is full of disappointment, growls and cob pipes. He goes forth like a lion in the morning and leaves wood for his wife to chop, and in evening he sneaks home with his pants ripped and raises Cain about hard times. He has lagrippe on road working days and walks 20 miles to a circus. He will chase a jack rabbit four miles through the snow, and borrow a horse to ride a half mile to the postoffice.

Two-thirds of the letters which pass through the postoffices of the world are written by or sent to English speaking people.

The fact that people living in the country are frequently better posted on current issues and questions than those living in towns and cities is becoming quite noticeable. It is attributed to the fact that the country people read their papers carefully, overlooking nothing—not even the advertisements.—Morganfield Sun.

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PUBLISHER.

SATURDAY, AUG. 13.

## ADVERTISING RATES.

One inch first insertion - \$ 50  
Each additional insertion 25  
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Business locals, Obituaries and Special notices 5 cents per line, each additional insertion 2 1/2 cents.

## CLUB RATES.

For the convenience of our subscribers we have arranged clubbing rates with the following papers at prices below named:  
The Times and

Louisville Dispatch	\$ 75
" Cincinnati Enquirer	1 15
" Detroit Free-Press	1 00
" Louisville Commercial	75
" Home and Farm	75
" Louisville Daily Post	2 50

Spell murder backwards and you have its cause. Spell its cause in the same manner and you have its effect.

After a man gets into a hole, it's surprising how many people there are who could have told him what path he might have taken to have avoided it.

The man behind the gun is the one who wins naval victories, and no one appreciates this more keenly than the man in front of the same gun.

It was an all-wise providence that created woman after everything else had been finished, says an exchange; otherwise she would have wanted to boss the job.

The Mexican War Veterans will hold a reunion at Harrodsburg September 20, and they will go from there to Louisville to participate in the National reunion on the 21.

You no doubt well know that we make mistakes, typographical and otherwise, every week; but you possibly may not know that some of these mistakes are made through over-sight, some by accident and a goodly number through lack of sufficient knowledge. There you have it in a nut-shell; but say, how much better do you suppose you could do?

It may be interesting to the people of Spain to know that during the Civil war Gen. Joe Wheeler, who wore the gray, captured Gen. Shafter, who wore the blue, and landed him in Libby prison, where "rebel" bullets couldn't reach him, and that now Generals Wheeler and Shafter are probably sleeping in the same bed in front of Santiago, and sopping gravy from the same skillet. Of such stuff are the American citizens and the American soldiers are made.—George-town Times.

## Words That Burn.

From The Nashville American.

The following are some of the epigrammatic sayings of the present war that will go down in history:

"Excuse me sir; I have to report that the ship has been blown up and is sinking."—Bill Anthony to Capt. Sigsbee of the Maine.

"Suspend judgement."—Capt. Chas. Sigsbee's first message to Washington.

"If I was President I would make hell smell of garlic."—Fighting Bob Evans when the Maine was blown up.

"We will make Spanish the court language of hades."—Bob Evans, when war was declared.

"Tell Gen. Blanco for me that when I return it will be at the head of an invading army."—Fitzhugh Lee to Senor Castillo

"Remember the Maine."—Commodore Schley's signal to the flying squadron.

"Don't hamper me with instructions; I am not afraid of the entire Spanish fleet with my ship."—Capt. Clark, of the Oregon to the Board of Strategy.

"You can fire when you are ready boys."—Dewey on seeing the fleet.

"To hell with breakfast; let's finish 'em now."—Taylor J. Evans to Admiral Dewey.

"The battle of Manila killed me, but I would do it again."—Capt. Gridley, of the Olympia, on his death-bed.

"Don't get between my guns and the enemy."—Admiral Dewey to Prince Henry of Germany.

"I've got them now, and they will never get home."—Commodore Schley, on guard at Santiago harbor.

"There must be no more recalls; iron will break at last."—Lieut. Hobson to Admiral Sampson.

"Don't mind me, boys; go on fighting."—Capt. Allyn K. Capren, of the Rough Riders.

"Don't swear, boys; shoot!"—Col. Wood to the Rough Riders.

"Now damn you, take that for the Maine."—Lieut. Wainwright as the Colon and Pluton were sinking.

"Expect to take the place as soon as I can move; reinforcements will not reach me."—Gen. Shafter before Santiago.

"Shafter is fighting, not writing."—Adj. Gen. Corbin to Secretary Alger when the latter asked for news from the front.

"War is not a picnic."—Sergt. Hamilton Fish of the Rough Riders to his mother.

"Who would not gamble for a new star in the flag."—Capt. Buck O'Neill, of the Rough Riders.

"I'm afraid I'll strain my guns at long range, lets close in."—Lieut. Wainwright of the Gloucester to Commodore Schley in the fight with Cervera.

"They are coming out, now give 'em hell."—Commodore Schley to the flying squadron.

"Don't cheer boys, the poor devils are dying."—Capt. Jack Phillips of the Texas.

"I want to make public ac-

knowledge that I believe in God the father almighty."—Capt. Jack Phillips of the Texas.

"Order the men on the forward deck and offer up a prayer, thanking God for the victory."—Commodore Schley to the captains of his fleet after the destruction of Cervera's squadron.

## An Old Adage Reads:

"There is a place for everything" Now for everything to be in its place. The Louisville Dispatch should be in the home of every Democrat in the South. The Dispatch is the people's paper, owned by the people and read by the people. The Dispatch is the only Democratic paper published in Louisville. It stands squarely on the Chicago platform. It is not only in a flourishing condition after eighteen months battling against adverse circumstances, but is to-day the best medium in the South. And its motto—If you see it in the Dispatch it's so; If it's so it is always in the Dispatch, has been fully verified during the American-Spanish war, during which the superiority of its news service has been daily apparent.

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The Dispatch is Kentucky's greatest paper. You should be a reader. For the next few weeks we will club with the Weekly Dispatch at the extremely low price of 75 cts.

The Government has decided to bring 10,000 of the troops now at Chickamauga to Lexington. The citizens' committee, to whom was assigned the matter of obtaining a suitable site for a camp for so many men, have succeeded in securing a most admirable tract of land of about 1,000 acres for this purpose.

A reunion of ex-Federal and ex-Confederate soldiers will be held at Newhaven, Ky., August 23 and 24. This is the proper thing. They are all American heroes and history will honor the courage and devotion of the men who followed the stars and bars as well as of those who followed the stars and stripes. They are all patriots, acknowledging a common country and a common flag, and forgetting the animosities of the past, they will reunite all sections of our land in the strong ties of brotherhood and Peace.—Louisville Dispatch.

You notice S. S. S. advertised in nearly every paper you pick up. It used to have reference to a proprietary medicine but it now stands for Shafter, Schley, Sampson, all of whom the Spaniards have found to be "bad medicine."

"Speculation is all right," remarked the philosopher, but the fellow who lets slip a dollar reaching for a fifty-cent piece ought to have someone stick a bicycle pump in his ear and blow up his brains."

Old newspapers for sale at 20 cents per hundred.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### Log Lick.

J. T. Elkin is on the sick list this week.

Whooping cough is raging in this locality.

Ed King, who has been sick for some time, is recovering.

Mr. Henry Tuttle, of Spoutspring, attended church here Sunday night.

Mrs. Flora Henry nee Tuttle is visiting her sister, Mrs. Simon Demaree.

Miss Eva Green, of this place, is visiting friends and relatives at Winchester.

Miss Maud Dawson, of Indian Fields, attended church at this place Sunday.

Elder W. W. Caudill preached a very interesting sermon Sunday at this place.

Miss Mae Potts, of Irvine, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. R. King, at this place.

The new Methodist church at Dunaway, which is being built, is very near completed.

Mrs. Minor Allen, of Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Devary, who is quite sick.

Misses Mae Potts and Ellie Elkin visited Misses Bettie and Belle Niblick Thursday.

Eld. Combs and Marcum began a protracted meeting Saturday night at this place.

Ben Poer and family, of Wade's Mill, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

T. B. Smith, of Lee county, visited D. S. C. Elkin and attended church Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Ella and Eva Berman, of near Winchester, visited their uncle, Allen Osborne, Sunday.

Harland Berryman and wife, of Winchester, visited friends and relatives at Log Lick Saturday and Sunday.

A saloon keeper of Harrodsburg was fined \$50 in two cases for selling liquor to one who was in the habit of getting drunk not oftener than three or four times a year. The court held in its rendering that no saloon keeper can sell any intoxicating beverages to any known inebriate. But what would they do if this law is enforced as it should be?

People who drown their troubles usually preserve them in alcohol.

### Your Time is Up.

If your paper is marked on the margin "Your Time is Up" it is there to gently remind you that your year is out and to give you an opportunity to pay up and renew again or have the paper stopped as you choose. All whose paper is so marked is owing this office 50 cents which will be gladly received.

### Notice to Hunters.

All persons are hereby notified that all hunting and trapping is forbidden on any and all land belonging to the undersigned.

B. S. Burger.

A negro man earnestly prayed in one of the meetings of the colored people that the Lord might "keep 'em from up setting sins." After he was thought another member of the meeting said: "Brudder, you isn't got the hang of dat ar word. It's not upsettin' sine, it's besettin' sins." "Wall," said the first: "If dat's so, it is; an' I can't help it. But I was prayin' de Lord to keep us from de sin ob 'toxication; an' if dat ain't an upsettin' sin, den I dunno what am."—Exchange.

The joke you play on another fellow is a mean trick when he plays it on you.

## Local Markets.

Spoutspring, Ky., Aug. 13.

The following are prices paid by produce dealers of this place:

Apples	3
Beans	1@3
Beef hides	4
Beeswax	18
Corn	50
Eggs	6 1/2
Feathers	30
Ginseng	\$2. 00
Spring chickens	8 1/2
Hens	4

## DAVID SNOWDEN, THE BARBER,

SPOUT-PRING, - - - KY.

Fashionable Hair Cuts and Trims a specialty.

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Van Deren Hardware Co.,  
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DEALERS,

Lexington, Kv.,

Will make regular trips through his section.

## W. T. WEBB, WATCHMAKER

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AGENT FOR HIGH GRADE WATCHES.

All kinds of Watch and Clock Repairing in connection with his tonsorial department.

Satisfaction guaranteed.

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## E. V. CURTIS, Viena, - - - Ky.,

Is now prepared to do most all kinds of work—both Wood and Iron.

Horse Shoeing with new shoes 50 cents, removing old shoes 80 cents.

Give me a trial. We will give you perfect satisfaction.



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A HOME-MADE PAPER.

SPOUTSPRING, KY.  
SATURDAY, AUG. 13, 1898.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

All the news goes into the Times while it's news.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Patrick, of Irvine, were down Sunday.

Weanling calves are selling all the way from \$10 to \$20.

The nearer peace gets the more anxious some people get to fight.

Cattle in Bracken county are going blind to an alarming extent.

Fair companies report good outlook for successful meetings this year.

Rev. W. H. Thompson has been holding a series of meetings at Ford.

Levi Curtis brought in our merchants a supply of muskmelons Wednesday.

John Smethers and family attended the burial of Mrs. Crow at Jackson's Chapel Monday.

A protracted meeting will begin at Roundtree's chapel next Wednesday.

John W. Freeman was in town Saturday with a wagon load of home-grown water-melons.

W. C. Ferrell, of Hedges, was in town Saturday and called at this office and subscribed for the Times.

Lewis county is completely overrun by poisonous snakes. Many persons have been bitten and died.

Eld. Jeff Conkwright, of Ruckerville, was here at the Baptists' meeting Saturday and Sunday.

Merritt and Rankin, of Winchester, have taken out license, and have opened a saloon in Clay City.

Revs. A. G. Coker and Jeff Conkwright began a protracted meeting at Cow Creek Baptist church Sunday night.

What kind of a public spirited citizen do you call yourself if you don't take the Times—your home paper.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lewis, of Thompson, visited Mrs. Lewis' father's family Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Maggie Groves, of Clay City, is teaching the school at Snow Creek. Miss Groves taught this school last year.

## Patronize a Home Industry.

### Progress Broom Mfg. Co.,

SPOUTSPRING, KY.,

makes three grades of brooms, and users will find them heavier and better than any broom on the market for the money.

## Use "Sweep Clean" for clean sweeping.

### Madison Monumental Works,

RICHMOND, KY.

Manufacturer and Dealer in

### Granite Monuments,

and all kinds of Cemetery Work.

JAS. T. HAMILTON, Proprietor,

The river has been past fording several days of this week.

The Kentucky summer resorts all report good business this season despite war and war talk at home.

The almost entire absence of the tobacco worm is causing much comment among the growers in the bluegrass.

There has been a sudden boom in the tie market at Clay City. They have advanced three and four cents on the stick.

Some people seem so opposed to this war tax that they won't tell us an item of news for fear it requires a stamp on it.

Eld. Shelton, of East Tennessee, did the preaching at the Baptist church Saturday, Saturday night and Sunday.

Hiram Warmouth and Will Baker have formed a partnership and bought out the general store of P. E. Hale at Clay City.

Tom Clem and three of his brothers were called last Saturday to the bed-side of their sister, Mrs. Will Crow, at Kidville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Eubank, of Right Angle, attended services at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday and were the guests of relatives.

Mr. J. F. Cox, the accommodating cashier of the Clay City National Bank, has converted the hall over the Bank in Clay City to an opera house.

If you see a merchant that is down cast he is a merchant that doesn't advertise, for the advertising merchant has a good trade and is always lively. Take notice and see.

Here is an unusually blessed editor: "The Opinion has never yet had to dun a subscriber, as is the case with our contemporaries."

A very heavy rain fell here late Monday afternoon, and it rained the greater portion of Monday night and study almost all day Tuesday.

The promoters of the Black Diamond Railway have completed the survey in Knox county. Work, it is thought will be begun on this road in a very short time.

Don't judge a man by his dress. A shabby old coat may enwrap a village newspaper publisher, while a man wearing a high plug hat and sporting a gold-headed cane may be a delinquent subscriber.

DIED.—Mrs. Will Crow, of Kidville, died at her home near that place Sunday and was buried at Jackson's Chapel Monday. Mrs. Crow was a sister of Messrs. Simp and Thomas Clem of this place and leaves four small children.

Prof. A. K. Martin, the eminent weather prophet of Lexington, says the first snow will fall on November 5, and that there will be 27 snows in all this winter. His advice to all is to lay in a large supply of fuel and be prepared for a hard winter that undoubtedly will be.

Our pleasant and accommodating postmaster, Mr. James H. Dawson, has a great surprise in store for his numerous friends. It will be hard to make the people of this place believe he has won one of the fair sex, but read the following clipped from the Sandstone, Minn., Courier: Mrs. E. W. Young is enjoying a visit from Mrs. James H. Dawson, of Minneapolis.

Corn For Sale. James Pryor, of Fox, has 35 or 40 barrels of good picked corn at his place, two miles beyond Same, which he offers for sale at \$2.25 per barrel.

Farmers are not complaining about lack of rain at the present.

C. R. King, of Log Lick, was transacting business in town Wednesday.

Spain has Havana to back her, but most of our people prefer Havana tobacco.

Bob McKinney, of Mt. Sterling, was in this vicinity this week in search of cattle.

D. McKinney, John W. Barnett, Wilmott McKinney and Geo. Gravett are all below on business.

The pastor, Eld. J. T. Hornsby assisted by Rev. Peters, are holding a protracted meeting at Powell's Valley.

Mr. I. G. Jackson, formerly compositor on this journal has been employed in the Chronicle office at Clay City.

Eli Winston, a thirteen-year-old lad, had his leg cut off near Mt. Sterling while trying to alight from a moving train.

W. J. Christopher and J. W. & Bro. have bought jointly a car load of flour. They will make as low prices on flour as you can get anywhere.

Wanted—A copy of Collin's History of Kentucky.

W. E. Hefflin.

## Lexington & Eastern Railway.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Effective May 15, 1898.

### EAST BOUND.

STATIONS.	No. 3. Daily ex. Sun.	No. 4. Daily.
Lv. Lexington . . .	2 30	7 45
" Montrose . . .	2 45	8 00
" Avon . . .	2 55	8 10
" Wyandotte . . .	3 02	8 17
" Winchester . . .	3 15	8 30
" Glenarvon . . .	3 20	8 38
" Fairlie . . .	3 27	8 45
" Indian Fields . . .	3 48	9 00
" Clay City . . .	4 01	9 18
" Stanton . . .	4 11	9 25
" Rosslyn . . .	4 17	9 31
" Filson . . .	4 24	9 38
" Dundee . . .	4 35	9 47
" Natural Bridge . . .	4 40	9 54
" Glenclarn . . .	4 44	9 58
" Torrent . . .	4 54	10 08
" Fincaisle . . .	5 08	10 22
" Beattyville Junct. . .	5 18	10 29
" Beattyville . . .	4 50	10 00
" B. & O. R. Y. . .	5 43	10 45
Lv. Three Fork City . . .	5 28	10 39
" Tallega . . .	5 40	10 51
" Athol . . .	5 48	10 59
" Oakdale . . .	5 55	11 06
" Elkatawa . . .	6 12	11 22
" Jackson . . .	6 20	11 30

### WEST BOUND.

STATIONS.	No. 1. Daily ex. Sun.	No. 3. Daily.
Lv. Jackson . . .	5 40	2 25
" Elkatawa . . .	5 48	2 33
" Oakdale . . .	5 54	2 49
" Athol . . .	6 11	2 56
" Tallega . . .	6 19	3 04
" Three Forks City . . .	6 31	3 16
" Beattyville Junct. . .	6 41	3 26
" Beattyville . . .	6 20	3 00
" B. & O. R. Y. . .	7 00	3 48
Lv. Fincaisle . . .	6 48	3 33
" Torrent . . .	7 02	3 47
" Glenclarn . . .	7 12	3 56
" Natural Bridge . . .	7 18	4 01
" Dundee . . .	7 23	4 06
" Filson . . .	7 34	4 24
" Rosslyn . . .	7 41	4 30
" Stanton . . .	7 48	4 35
" Clay City . . .	7 57	4 44
" Indian Fields . . .	8 14	4 59
" Fairlie . . .	8 31	5 13
" Glenarvon . . .	8 38	5 20
" Winchester . . .	8 44	5 25
" Wyandotte . . .	8 58	5 38
" Avon . . .	9 04	5 45
" Montrose . . .	9 13	5 55
" Lexington . . .	9 30	6 10

flag stations.

J. B. BARR, Gen'l Manager.  
CHAS. SCOTT, Gen. Pass. Agt.

## J. J. CURRY.

WITH

R. B. Henley & Co.,  
Wholesale

Grocers,  
Cincinnati, O.,

Will call on the merchants of Estill county every 30 days

G. W. Lewis, of Thompson, left here this morning with a nice drove of cattle.

E. E. West, the traveling salesman for Van Deren Hardware Co., was in the burg yesterday.

Mrs. W. L. Jackson and daughter, Miss Fannie, were pleasant callers at our office Wednesday.

Albert Crow lost a great deal of his tobacco by high water. All crops along Lulibegrud creek were damaged pretty extensively by Monday night's tide.

Mrs. Polly Runnels died at her home in Powell county Thursday of consumption. She was buried at Snow Creek Friday, her funeral first being preached by Rev. J. T. Hornsby.

### Shooting at Panola.

Just across the county line at Panola last Friday Reuben Thomas, a merchant of that place, shot John Garrett, of this county in a dispute over an account which Garrett owed Thomas. Garrett's wound was at first considered fatal, but he is now recovering. Thomas was arrested and held under a \$3,000 bond.

### A Horrible Death.

Wash Woodson, aged about fifty, a prominent farmer living near Irvine, told his wife Friday that he would ride to a neighbor's on business, and proceeded to the barn lot for his horse. Some time afterward she was surprised to see the horse in the lot, not having been used. Her husband being still absent, she went to the lot to search for him, and there she observed one of the several hogs in the lot with a bloody nose. Thinking nothing of this she continued her search a short distance further, where, horrified, she beheld the prostrate form of her husband being devoured by hogs. They had consumed almost the entire face and other parts of the body. The viciousness of the beast is inexplicable, unless Woodson's presence exasperated the mother of some young pigs.—Winchester Democrat.

### For Sale—Grist Mill.

Twenty-two inch French buhr grist mill in perfect working order. Will sell at a bargain. Address: J. W. Barnett, Spoutspring, Ky.

### Grass Land For Rent.

I have about 35 or 40 acres of good grass for rent, or will take in stock to graze. Any one wanting grass would do well to see me. D. N. Witt, Same, Ky.



# Estill Court Directory.

## CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge - D. B. Redwine  
Com'w'lth's Att'y A. Byrd  
Clerk - James A. Wallace  
Deputy Clerk J. F. Harris  
Commissioner - John D. Winn

Circuit Court is held on the fourth Monday in March, June and November.

## COUNTY COURT.

Judge - J. W. Muncie  
Clerk - J. F. Harris  
County Attorney - L. A. West  
Deputy Clerk James A. Wallace  
Sheriff - Steven Daniels  
Jailer - J. S. Lynch  
Assessor - Alex Hamilton  
Coroner - W. S. Winkler  
Superint'd't of schools W. S. Witt  
Surveyor - Eugene Witt

County court is held on the third Monday of each month.

Quarterly terms of the county court are held the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

County court of claims meet in April and October.

## LOCAL MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

Justice - John Henderson  
Constable - John Merrill  
Court is held on the 16th of March, June, September and December.

## Church Directory.

### BAPTIST.

Services on first Saturday morning, and Sunday following; Rev. A. G. Coker, pastor Powell's Valley Fourth Saturday and Sunday; Rev. J. T. Hornsby, pastor.

### M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Services on the third Saturday night and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. S. M. Carrier, pastor.

### M. E. CHURCH.

Services at Kimbrell's Chapel on the first Sunday; Rev. W. H. Thompson, pastor.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services at Hardwick's creek on the third Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. B. Frank Wright, pastor pro tem. Log Lick—Services on Second Sunday; Rev. E. W. Marcum, pastor.

### OLD BAPTIST.

Services at Log Lick on the first Saturday, and Sunday following; Eld. W. W. Caudill, pastor.

The Denver woman that wanted a divorce "because her husband's love, was melted," no doubt made married life so hot for him, no other result could be expected.

Some one has figured out that a farmer walks 700 miles to put in forty acres of corn. To plow the ground, he would walk 850 miles and to drag it, 50 miles and to cultivate it, he will have to travel 300 miles, making a grand total of 700 miles, beside planting and gathering.

A Missouri editor claims the possession of a Persian lilac bush twenty-five feet in diameter. An editor who can lilac that must be invaluable to his party in a local political campaign.

# KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

Gleaned from all parts of the Commonwealth

Short, Readable Items of Interest to All.

Paris is to have a Street fair this year.

A Breckenridge county farmer raised thirty-five bushels of wheat to the acre on fifty-five acres.

Berea will have a fair the last of this month or the first of September.

William Hepke was run over by an L. & N. train and killed at Louisville.

A disease known as bloody glanders is killing many horses in Garrard county.

Somerset officers are again after the "blind tigers" with a red-hot nosing iron.

A big flow of oil has been struck in Allen county at a depth of only 100 feet.

About twenty-five meat houses in Bourbon county have been robbed during the year.

Valuable oil fields in Wayne county are to be developed by an eastern company at once.

Samuel Cotton, a bachelor aged forty, was killed in Boyle county by a runaway team.

In some of the southwestern counties Mormons are unusually successful in securing converts.

Lexington offers 1,000 acres of land suitable for camping if the soldiers will be stationed there.

The Kansas grasshopper has invaded McCracken county and is causing the farmer endless trouble.

While milking a cow in Christian county, Fucker Buckner, was kiled in the stomach and killed.

Thomas Smith, a councilman of Harrodsburg, has been arrested charged with running a "blind tiger" at that place.

Fourteen prominent Lewis county citizens were lodged in jail at Vanceburg on the charge of refusing to work the road.

Oscar Willet, of McCracken county, took carbolic acid through mistake for medicine and died in thirty minutes afterward.

Lewis Partin, while under arrest in Belle county broke to run, and was shot by Robert K. Partin, Deputy Sheriff of Belle county last Saturday.

Several persons have recently been bitten by mad dogs in Henry county. A great deal of stock has also been bitten, and many dogs are being killed.

A party of thirty armed and masked men in Larue county went to a house of ill repute and with switches gave the occupants a good thrashing and burned their house.

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## Married Three Times.

A special from Somerset says: A remarkable and unusual case was made public here today by the marriage of an old couple in the County Clerk's office.

Over thirty years ago Sampel Pruitt, a well-known citizen, married Miss Josephine Merrix, in this county. After fifteen years of married life they were divorced, the husband soon after marrying Lucinda Sandifer, and the divorced wife becoming Mrs. A. H. Buster. Mrs. Buster was divorced in about seven years, and Mr. Pruitt tired of married life in about one year. He then took as his wife Miss Pollie Crabtree, but was divorced from her some time later. Mrs. Pruitt No. 2 married Jackson Ware in the meantime. She was divorced in about a year, and her divorced husband married Mrs. Betsy Boddy.

Now the last chapter in this strange drama of marriage and divorce is to be written, and details the wedding of the old couple who first married in the morning of life, the husband after being married and divorced three times and the wife after two matrimonial ventures which were unsatisfactory.

A little Harlem girl drew a picture of Uncle Sam chasing a Spaniard, and calling her mother's attention to it, said: The poor Spaniard oughtn't to have but two legs, but I drew him with six so he could get away. I feel so sorry for him."

A few days ago Deputy Marshal Press Jackson and Collector Howard Wilson destroyed a big moonshine distillery in Powell county, near Bowen. They also destroyed five hundred gallons of beer, fifteen bushels of meal and ten tubs.—Winchester Democrat.